

Grants by Grant Cycle

Grants matching your search for **2007-08 Household Hazardous Waste Discretionary Grants (HD16C)**

Amador County

Grantee: Amador County

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Jim McHargue

CalRecycle Grant manager: Elaine Novak

Project Summary: Proposed Activities Estimated Costs

1) Coordinate a working group through informational/educational conferences, workshops, and/or public meetings with stakeholders, including local hospital, diabetes education center, dialysis center, other medical centers, clinics, and pharmacies, as well as waste haulers, HHW disposal site, non-profit community groups, and other interested parties. Determine willingness of stakeholders in developing collection programs for sharps and the establishment of specific collection venues. \$1500 2) Conduct countywide survey to assess amount of sharps being generated in Amador County and current methods disposal, as well as public knowledge of state and federal policies and recent changes in law. \$500 3) Coordinate the handling of waste sharps with certificate medical waste hauler. \$1,000 4) Purchase certified containers needed for the collection and storage of sharp waste. \$1,000 5) Develop education and outreach materials for the promotion of collection sites and proper disposal of sharps. \$3,000

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Calaveras County

Grantee: Calaveras County

Amount Awarded: \$28,000.00

Grantee Contact: Ms. Cynthia Knapp

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: This project is to develop a sharps collection strategy for the Central Sierra Sharps Coalition - a collection of four counties . The goals of the project are: 1. Encourage regional collaboration; 2. Develop a strategy for coordinated sharps collection from all sources including human and animal medical uses; 3. Design a cost-effective method to share the burden of collecting and processing sharps between local governments and the producers and retailers as much as possible; and 4. Develop the coordinated strategy based on input provided by local stakeholders during countywide meetings and regional conference calls. The following is the scope to be completed by the end of the grant term on March 31, 2009 or before. 1. Document the existing collection, management, and public outreach efforts in the Central Sierra Sharps Coalition Counties Budget: 1,820 2. Research other sharps collection programs that may serve as models. Budget \$2,500 3. Conduct countywide coordination meetings in each Central Sierra Sharps Coalition county to discuss collection/outreach options. Budget: \$10,640 4. Conduct regional coordination conference calls to develop and refine a regional strategy. Budget: \$2,940 5. Write a region wide sharps collection strategy report with details specific to each Central Sierra Sharps Coalition county. Budget: \$8,520 6. Calaveras County grant management. Budget: \$1,580

Total Awarded for County:\$28,000.00

Del Norte County

Grantee: Del Norte Solid Waste Management Authority

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Tedd Ward

CalRecycle Grant manager: Elaine Novak

Project Summary: The primary objective of this grant-funded effort is to increase understanding among all stakeholders of the need, efficacy, and program costs to increase convenience of sharps and fluorescent tube recovery. The HD 16 Coordination Grant resources will be used to convene stakeholder meetings, coordinate public outreach, collect data on sharps generation as well as sharps management and disposal costs, and to procure and demonstrate the use of (possibly mail-back) sharps and fluorescent tube containers. The final report will document these grant-funded Proposed Activities Estimated Costs 1. Convene Sharps Stakeholder Meetings \$1,000 2. Procure Fluorescent containers \$1,300 3. Procure and distribute sharps containers \$1,300 4. Public Outreach \$1,000 5. Documentation of Sharps Disposal and Management Costs \$2,000 6. Preparation of Final Report \$400

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Humboldt County

Grantee: Humboldt Waste Management Authority

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Brent Whitener

CalRecycle Grant manager: Elaine Novak

Project Summary: Proposed Activities Estimated Costs

Discuss expanding fluorescent bulbs and battery collections with local retailers, promoting greater product stewardship. \$1,500 Meet with local stakeholders to strategize on how best to recycle or dispose of batteries in consideration of new, increasing costs for battery recycling. Stakeholders include HHW Program Manager, HHW Technicians, non-profit community groups (s), and HWMA's Executive Director. \$1,500 Research sharps collection opportunities at the Hawthorn Street HHW Facility, Arcata & Eureka Community Recycling Centers, and local pharmacies. Work with the Local Task Force to promote greater public knowledge of HHW, U-waste, and sharps disposal services (i.e., in the annual AT&T phone Recycling Guide insert or using a point-of-contact method). \$4,000

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Los Angeles County

Grantee: City of Calabasas

Amount Awarded: \$15,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Alex Farassati

CalRecycle Grant manager: Nancy Fallan

Project Summary: Coordinate efforts among all public agencies and Stakeholders groups for meeting, planning and research \$4,000 Conduct survey of households, business on sharps and u-waste by interns and a coordinator \$6,000

Total Awarded for County:\$15,000.00

Madera County

Grantee: Madera County

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Keith Quinlan

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: The County of Madera is requesting funds to improve our Household Hazardous Waste Facility operation and satellite collection events to accommodate increased Universal waste and sharps volumes. The funds will be used to design and develop English and Spanish language brochures for public education and awareness regarding the disposal of HHW materials, Electronic waste, Universal waste, and Sharps. The funds will also be used for flyers in newspapers, and/or direct mailing through franchised haulers billing or jurisdictions utility bills informing residents of disposal options for their HHW materials, Electronic waste, Universal waste, Universal waste, and Sharps. County staff to develop and maintain website for information regarding County's HHW disposal options including Electronic Waste, Universal Waste and Sharps.

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Marin County

Grantee: Marin County Hazardous and Solid Waste Joint Powers Authority

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Eric Lueder

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: Marin County has two Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) facilities and several other satellite locations that collect a variety of universal wastes and sharps. The primary problem in Marin is a lack of community knowledge of the available programs and services. The goal of this grant application is to use funds to enhance countywide outreach regarding universal waste regulations, sharps awareness, available HHW facilities, and educational materials already available and to create a network of community awareness, available HHW facilities, and educational materials already available and to create a network of community awareness. Proposed Activities 1) Develop a database of local newspaper publications, Chamber of Commerce associations, schools and community organizations throughout Marin that could assist distributing educational materials about universal waste and sharps programs and regulations. Estimated Cost: \$350.00 (in-kind staff time contribution) 2) Create advertisements, flyers, and press releases to inform residents of universal waste regulations the ability to safely recycle or dispose of universal waste and sharps. Ads will contain information about the available Household Hazardous Waste facilities, universal waste drop off sites, and sharps disposal sites. The ads also will reference the Marin County Hazardous and Solid Waste Management Joint Powers Authority's (JPA) recycling and resource guides that are available online and in the AT&T yellow pages. Estimated Cost: \$1,100 (in-kind staff time contribution) 3) JPA staff will run newspaper advertisements in the Marin Independent Journal and the Point Reyes Light. Advertisement space will be published over several weeks so it will be easy to see how effective the advertisements are through increased HHW facility traffic and phone calls resulting from the ads. This is the only task that will be paid for with grant funding. Estimated Cost: \$7,000 4) Staff members will distribute press releases to local publications and community organizations that have newsletter. Flyers will be dropped off with community groups, at meeting centers, venues and other public areas. Estimated Cost: \$2,800 (in-kind staff time contribution)

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Mariposa County

Grantee: Mariposa County

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Ms. Michelle Miller

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: 1) Establish baselines for u-waste/sharps generation/collection \$440 2) Research u-waste/sharps collection programs inside and outside Mariposa \$895 3) Countywide coordination meetings - one for sharps and one for u-waste \$1,625 4) Encourage product stewardships by promoting TRC and RBRC programs \$1,750 5) Draft u-waste/sharps management strategy letter report 4-6 pages, CIWMB grant report \$1,945 6) Project Management \$580 7) Travel expense including 1 night hotel \$195 8) Purchase of six Thermostat Recycling Corporation boxes \$150

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Napa County

Grantee: Napa County

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. John Kara

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: Educate and inform stakeholders of legal sharps disposal options in Napa County and promote participation in proper disposal. This will be accomplished by identifying all disposal options available, surveying stakeholders to identify information gaps in awareness of disposal options, developing appropriate educational materials and methods, and conducting an educational outreach campaign.

Proposed Activities Estimated Costs

1) Establish list of stakeholders In-kind staff 2) Survey stakeholders 3) Sharps generation and disposal 3.1) Establish estimate of total sharps generation in Napa County 3.2) Identify all possible sharps disposal options - including regulatory considerations and associated costs - local/regional/mailback (for both individuals and collection/consolidation sites) 3.3) Identify existing disposal options in Napa County 3.4) Research the volume collected, method used, and cost of disposal at existing local sites 3.5) Estimate gap in sharps generation versus sharps (safely and legally) disposed 4.1) Identify Target Audience(s) 4.2 Identify and discuss potential methods/tools to employ for educational outreach 4.3) Review existing educational programs and materials from other states/jurisdictions/organizations/etc. 4.4) Determine appropriate methods/tools to be used to disseminate the educational message in Napa County; establish strategy and schedule for campaign (including consideration of initial campaign versus on-going education) 4.5) Develop educational outreach materials 4.6) Conduct educational outreach campaign 5.1) Identify on going needs (for educational and/or collection and disposal infrastructure) 5.2) Research potential sources of funding

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Placer County

Grantee: Placer County

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Ms. Stephanie Ulmer

CalRecycle Grant manager: Elaine Novak

Project Summary: Placer County would be the lead agency and coordinate with other jurisdiction`s representatives to expand the battery collection points. As well, we would promote existing universal waste collection programs through educational flyers/brochures and advertisements. **Proposed Activities Estimated Costs** 1) Staff time for coordination \$2,000 2) Printing of educational flyers/brochures \$2,500 3) Advertisement Universal waste collection locations \$2,000 4) Purchase of containers for battery collection \$500

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Riverside County

Grantee: Riverside County

Amount Awarded: \$15,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Diane Christensen

CalRecycle Grant manager: Nancy Fallan

Project Summary: **Proposed Activities Estimated Costs**

Develop a Guide on Sharps and Universal Waste, detailing the definitions and locations for proper disposal of these items within Riverside County. The Guide will be available to all Riverside County jurisdictions. Update County Department`s website to include additional information and County Recycling Guide to include updated information.

Total Awarded for County:\$15,000.00

San Francisco County

Grantee: City and County of San Francisco

Amount Awarded: \$11,002.00

Grantee Contact: Ms. Marjaneh Zarrehparvar

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: San Francisco has made extensive efforts over the last decade to establish local, convenient and free universal waste and needle recycling/disposal opportunities throughout our City & County. Using garbage rate funds, we sponsor 80+ retail battery drop-off sites, 20 fluorescent retail drop-off sites, 3 mercury thermometer exchange sites, a variety of electronic waste collection events and 60+ needle drop-off sites. While recycling/disposal opportunities can still be greatly improved in our jurisdiction, our primary challenges lie in promoting our disposal/recycling programs and financially sustaining our existing collection infrastructure. To address these challenges, we will use our Coordination Grant funds to promote our existing disposal/recycling programs and/or continue to support the efforts of the California Product Stewardship Council to reduce the waste management burden on local government.

Total Awarded for County:\$11,002.00

San Luis Obispo County

Grantee: San Luis Obispo County Integrated Waste Management Authority

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. William Worrell

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: This grant will facilitate the development of a public/private partnership between local government and the retailers who sell sharps. A model sharps take back ordinance will be developed and provided to member jurisdictions. Assistance will be provided to each member jurisdiction during the passage of the ordinance.

Proposed Activities Estimated Costs

- 1) Meet with interested stakeholders to develop a consensus on the management of sharps. Consultants/Contractors - \$3,000
- 2) Develop sharps take back ordinance Consultants/Contractors - \$1,500 3) Prepare final report

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Santa Clara County

Grantee: Santa Clara County

Amount Awarded: \$15,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Rob D`arcy

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: Develop an Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) Implementation Plan A comprehensive plan will be developed by the Hazardous Materials Program Manager and a contractor to identify a strategy to initiate a policy approach that shifts responsibility for the management of hazardous products away from taxpayers to the industries that produce products that are deemed hazardous at end of life. Participate in the California Product Stewardship Council and participate in the discussion at the state concerning the CIWMB Strategic Directive 5 Design a plan to transition from the current government funded Retail Recycling Partner Program for the collection of batteries and fluorescent lighting and plan a transition to industry funded management of sharps when they are banned from the solid waste stream in September 2008. Prepare PowerPoint presentations for industry organizations that sell sharp, fluorescent lighting, thermostats, and batteries. Identify stakeholders within the County affected by producer responsibility requirements. Meet with stakeholders to identify opportunities and barriers in specific industry segments Build on existing EPR efforts such as the Thermostat Recycling Corporation, the Rechargeable Battery Recycling Corporation, the Cell Phone Recycling Act of 2005 and the Rechargeable Battery Recycling Act of 2006. The budget will include: Hazardous Materials Program Manager \$5,000 Contract Researcher \$5,000 Public Outreach Specialist \$5,000

Total Awarded for County:\$15,000.00

Santa Cruz County

Grantee: Santa Cruz County

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Jeffrey Smedberg

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: Proposed Activities Estimated Costs

Convene a product stewardship consortium of stakeholders in the region involved in the life cycle of sharps and pharmaceuticals to plan long-term for their safe, convenient and legal collection and proper disposal. Topic areas to be considered include: scope of disposal need, drop-off and mail-back collection methods, collection site locations, convenience for residents, serving rural residents, legality of controlled substance collection, disposal options, availability of disposal vendors, illegal disposal, public education advertising and branding, program costs, long-term financing, producer responsibility, and benefits accruing to each sector from a successful program. Consortium participants will include individuals and professionals from business, local government, and the non-profit sector engaged in fields such as environmental health, wastewater treatment, solid waste management, hazardous waste, recycling., law enforcement, retail pharmacy, medical practice, hospital administration, veterinary medicine, hospice, homecare, seniors, disability advocacy, and consumer advocacy. Expenses will include staffing for meeting coordination, communications, recruitment, meeting planning, agendas and minutes: 80 hours of staff time by grantee or consultant: \$6,000 Expenses for meeting materials, copies, mailers, postage, phone, misc. \$1,000

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Siskiyou County

Grantee: Siskiyou County

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr Garrett Johnson

CalRecycle Grant manager: Elaine Novak

Project Summary: Our proposal includes developing a list of locations in Siskiyou County that residents can safely dispose of used Sharps. This list would then be advertised in area newspapers to educate the public on 1) the safe disposal options and 2) that it is now illegal (as of September 8, 2008) to place them in the garbage. Advertising: 4 ads (to be run quarterly) starting in January 2008 and continuing through December 2008. Siskiyou Daily News - 4-24 inch ads \$895.00 Pioneer Press - 4-24 inch ads \$855.00 Klamath Nickel - 4-24 inch ads \$675.00 Southern Siskiyou Newspapers -4-24 inch ads \$775.00 Staff time to develop list of accepting sites, develop ads and coordinate placement in area newspapers \$30.39x36 hrs. =\$1095.00 Additionally, we would also purchase premiums to be distributed at the County fair in August. Our goal is to increase the amount of batteries being recycled in Siskiyou County. Participants would be required to complete a survey in order to receive the premiums. The requested premiums are household battery recycling containers (see Attachment A). Items are \$6.50 each plus shipping and sales tax, which is approximately a total of \$7.50 per unit. We are requesting to purchase 360 of these units. They will be used to provide residents with a convenient way of recycling their used batteries. The tubes of these containers are 100% recycled content, while the top and base are 80% overall recycled content. Purchase of 360 battery recycling containers for household use \$2,705.00

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Solano County

Grantee: City of Benicia

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mrs.Tonya Gilmore

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: Proposed Activities Estimated Costs

The grant money would be used to inform Benicia residents about SB 1305 and buy BD Home Sharps Containers In doing so, the proposed project would provide Benicia residents education and a safe alternative of disposing their sharps. Benicia residents would contact Allied Waste Services to request BD Homes Sharps Containers = \$3.50/container . For an estimated 1857 containers = \$6,500 Education = \$500 (flyers, bill message, newspaper ad, news articles)

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Sonoma County

Grantee: Sonoma County Waste Management Agency

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Ms. Karina Chilcott

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: This proposed project is a sharps collection strategy for Sonoma County involving the collaboration of stakeholders and two or more county departments, including the Sonoma County Department of Health Services Prevention & Planning Division (SCDHS) and the Sonoma County Waste Management Agency (SCWMA) operates the Household Hazardous Waste/ CESQG program and will act as the lead for this grant application. R3 Consulting Group will act as the consultant for this project developing the strategy and making recommendations. R3 Consulting is well-suited for this task as they are familiar working with government agencies and with developing strategies to manage household hazardous waste (including extended producer responsibility). The following proposed activities will take place by the end of the grant term, March 31, 2009.

Proposed Activities

Task 1 - Initial document review and development of baselines \$625

Task 2 - Research other sharps collection programs \$625

Task 3 - Build Partnerships; Stakeholder meeting \$1,945

Task 4 - Develop Draft and Final Sharps strategy \$3,805

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Stanislaus County

Grantee: Stanislaus County

Amount Awarded: \$7,099.00

Grantee Contact: Beronia Beniamine

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: Stanislaus County is requesting funds to improve its household hazardous waste facility operation to accommodate the increase volume of U-waste and sharps. Also, the funds will be used to increase public awareness and participating in the recycling program by advertising in local newspaper, printing bilingual brochures as part of the promotional campaign to inform Hispanic residents about the new U-waste, E-waste and sharps collection program.

Proposed Activities and Estimated Costs

Color Flyer in local newspaper \$4,000

Design and develop Spanish language brochure \$3,000 Total grant money: \$7,000

Total Awarded for County:\$7,099.00

Tehama County

Grantee: Tehama County Sanitary Landfill Agency

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Alan Abbs

CalRecycle Grant manager: Elaine Novak

Project Summary: The Tehama County Sanitary Landfill Agency (Agency) will coordinate and communicate with stakeholders such as the Tehama County Health Services Agency, local pharmacies, hospitals, and Big Foot Recyclers in the development of plans and policies for a sharps collection system. As part of the coordination grant the Agency will research projections for the amounts of sharps to be collected, determine the best locations for the `take back` of sharps, develop a cost effective sharps collection model for Tehama County, and develop methods for the on-going financing of collection and processing cost. Once a sharps collection program is in place, the agency will develop and distribute educational materials and conduct public outreach regarding proper sharps disposal via mass media, flyers, brochures, mass mailings, and the Tehama County/Red Bluff Landfill website. Proposed Activities Estimated Costs Planning for establishment of baseline recovery rates, recovery tracking methodology; \$500 Identification and notification of stakeholders; \$500 Solicitation of stakeholder comments; \$500 Identification of need for additional services for residential and CEQSGs; \$500 Data Collection and reporting \$1500 Development and distribution of bilingual educational materials via mass media, flyers, brochures, mass mailing, and the Tehama County/Red Bluff Landfill website \$3500 Total Grant Request: \$7,000

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Trinity County

Grantee: Trinity County

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mrs.Diane Rader

CalRecycle Grant manager: Elaine Novak

Project Summary: Proposed Activities and Estimated Costs: 1) Enhance services currently at Weaverville, Hayfork and Junction City Transfer Sites; containers, signage, etc \$1,000 2) Set up consolidation sites at Hobel, Burnt Ranch, Big Bar, Hyampom, Ruth and Van Duzen Transfer Sites; containers, signage, etc \$3,500 3) Advertise new and enhanced services available \$500 4) Train site attendants \$,600 5) Prepare Sharps Operational and Exposure Plans for each site \$400
Total estimated Costs: \$7,000

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Tulare County

Grantee: Tulare County

Amount Awarded: \$7,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Joel Martens

CalRecycle Grant manager: Linda Dickinson

Project Summary: Proposed Activities

Conduct Surveys at:

Permanent HHW Collection Facility (3,000 households) Estimated Cost \$0

Mobile collection events (800 households) Estimated Cost \$0

Establish inter-agency agreements for U-waste collection/diversion from:

County/City-owned facilities \$200 Municipal Recycling Facilities \$100

Solid Waste Facilities \$200

Public/private partnerships for U-waste collection with: Authorized Collectors of CEWs \$2,500 Recycling Centers

\$1,000 Public.private partnerships for intra-County transportation of U-waste to PHHWCF: \$1,000 Establish new retail sales partner take-back centers \$1,000 Revise best practices for training and management of U-waste \$500 Upgrade educational materials (newspaper, flyers, posters, stickers) \$500

Total Awarded for County:\$7,000.00

Yuba County

Grantee: Regional Waste Management Authority

Amount Awarded: \$14,000.00

Grantee Contact: Ms. Alyson Burleigh

CalRecycle Grant manager: Elaine Novak

Project Summary: The Regional Waste Management Authority (RWMA) is currently implementing a 15th Cycle Household Hazardous Waste Coordination Grant entailing coordination of universal waste collection systems with a focus on studying the needs, cost estimates and best location for new facilities and collection and processing equipment and methods for financing. The RWMA is proposing to continue this effort with the 16th Cycle Household Hazardous Waste Coordination Grant. The RWMA is proposing to hire a consultant to prepare a study including cost estimates and best locations for new facilities and associated collection and processing equipment and methods for financing; to continue to review and revise public education materials relative to u-waste collection; and to conduct workshops regarding these issues. Proposed Activities Estimated Costs 1) Studies of needs, cost estimates and best locations for new facilities and collection and processing equipment for u-waste and methods for financing \$9, 150 2) Revision of existing public education materials to include current u-waste information \$2,000 3) Workshops regarding #1 and #2, above \$2,000 4) Preparation of Final Report \$850

Total Awarded for County:\$14,000.00

Grant Count: 23

Grand Total for Selected Counties: \$217,101.00